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Dear DOJ:

In my opinion, the original agreement is enough. If it had not been for Microsoft, our computer technology would not be in the advanced condition that it is . We would still be seeing corporations fighting over what standards that the industry should use. Each had their own agenda. Microsoft took all the ends and put them together and made it work. Now it is being condemned for doing what needed to be done.

The States that are not settling for two reasons. First is trying to get preferred treatment for Companies in their states. Second is just greed.

Lets get this settlement over and get back to business.

Best regards,  
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